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GRAPEFRUIT PROSPECTS IN PORTO RICO

The 1927-28 production of grapefruit in Porto Rico is estimated at about 600,000 boxes as compared with actual shipments of 809,038 boxes during 1926-27, according to a report from a representative of the Department of Agriculture in Porto Rico. The actual shipments of grapefruit during the period July 1 to September 15 amounted to 207,000 boxes as against 205,000 during the period July 1 to October 1 last year. It is estimated that about 250,000 boxes of grapefruit will be shipped from Porto Rico during the period September 15 to November 15, 1927.

